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- 1. In Peiping, VOKS (All-Union Association for Cultural Relations With Foreign Countries), affiliated with and responsible to the Soviet Consulate, is located next door to the Consulate on Legation Street. This Peiping VOKS office is managed by a Mr. WU (full name unknown). The reading room is well stocked with the latest Soviet editions of books, magazines and newspapers.
- 2. As a means of increasing Soviet propaganda among Chinese, M. F. Kudyakov, Attache of the Soviet Consulate in Peiping (and VOKS Chief in Peiping), has offered Soviet films to be shown free of charge to the students of various universities in Peiping with the outward intention of aiding Russian language study.
- 3. During 1947, the Peiping Soviet Citizens Club produced 15 wall newspapers. With the purchase of two movie projectors in the spring of 1948, Soviet films have become available to all members of the Club. The initial expenditure of US \$400 for this film equipment is expected to be returned to the Club treasury through individual donations.
- 4. Mrs. Vinogradskaya, Peiping correspondent of Novosti Daya (Tientsia), is the editor of the wall newspapers of the Soviet Club.

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